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MEMORANDUM FOR: Associate Deputy Director for Intelligence

VIA : Director of Soviet Analysis

FROM :   
Chief, Manpower and Planning Branch  
Soviet Economy Division, SOVA

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SUBJECT : Request Permission to Give an Oral  
Presentation

1. I request permission to accept an invitation from  STAT  
 to participate in his seminar on U.S.-Soviet trade  
and economic relations on 8 February 1984 at Columbia University  
(New York, N.Y.). My task will be to provide general background  
on the state of and prospects for the Soviet economy.

2. All of the material I will present will be unclassified.

3. My visit to Columbia will provide an opportunity for a  
mutually beneficial exchange of information and ideas on the  
Soviet economy.

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4.  At the seminar, I will be  
identified as a CIA employee specializing in Soviet economics. I  
will make clear that any views I express are my own and not  
necessarily those of the Agency.

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Attachment:  
General Outline

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I have reviewed the attached request and, with the understanding that the presentation will be unclassified, approve it.

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Director of Soviet Analysis



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Date

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Attachment

GENERAL OUTLINE OF TALKS

- I. Current State of Soviet Economy
- II. Economic Developments Under Andropov
- III. Soviet economic prospects in the rest of the 1980s.

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